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The Honorable Kay Granger  
Chairwoman  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Electric Bus Charging Infrastructure project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority located at 3201 Scherer Drive, St. Petersburg, FL 33716. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer dollars because it would fund electric vehicle charging infrastructure to support the conversion of the PSTA bus fleet to electric buses and replace the St. Petersburg Pier tram system with energy-efficient electric vehicles.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by chapter 53 of title 49 of the United States Code.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kathy Castor".

Kathy Castor  
United States Representative  
Florida – District 14